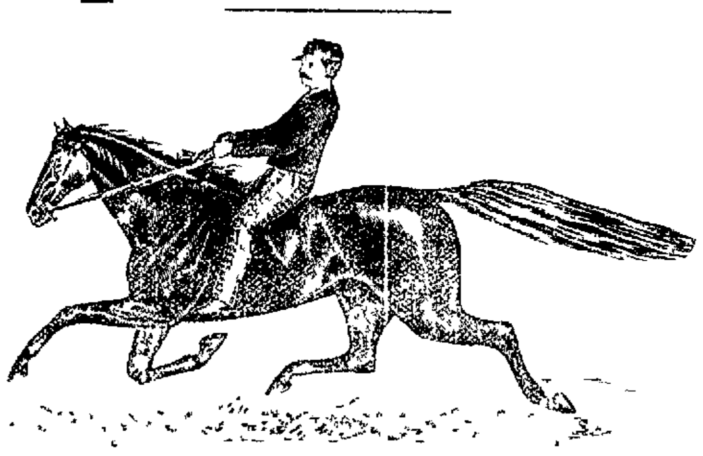
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HISTORY OF THE MOVEMENT THAT WAS INAUGURATED BY PAYN.

Map Showing the Location of the Territory Now Wanted by the Boomers—No Man's Land, of Which so Much Has Been Said.

[Special Correspondence.]

TAHLEQUAH, I. T., June 12.—Oklahoma is in the center of the Indian territory, and contains 2,400 square miles—that is, the the original Oklahoma strip did, though the title is now "floated," in western phrase, to a much larger region lying north and west. The true title to this land puzzles able lawyers. In equity it belongs to the Indians, for the Cherokees, Creeks and Seminoles deeded it to the United States in 1866 with a specific understanding that it should be occupied by such other tribes as the government should from time to time locate with a view to their civilization. "Oklahoma" is a Cherokee compound which may be freely translated "The Red Man's State."

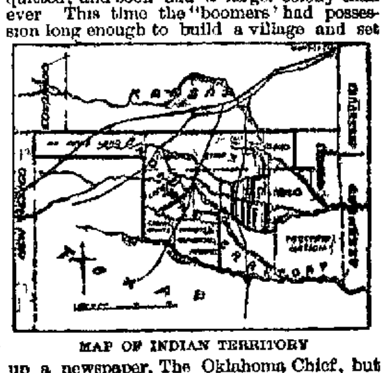
Between 1829 and 1840 the Cherokees were taken to the Indian territory except a remnant of some 1,800 who own a tract on Tumbling Fork creek in western North Carolina. The Creeks or Muscogees, Choctaws, Chickasaws and Seminoles followed, on similar conditions, and these constitute the "Five Civilized Tribes" which, until 1866, owned all the Indian territory. They number some 60,000.

Soon after their resettlement the Cherokees began the policy of "absorption," inviting fragments of other eastern tribes to join them; and the Quawpaws, Senecas, Miamis, Wyandottes, Shawnees, Delawares and many other minor tribes have, as the phrase goes, "dissolved their tribal organization and accepted head rights in the Cherokee nation." A new treaty was made in 1866 by which the four tribes ceded 14,000,000 acres and the Cherokees ceded all that part of their territory west of longitude 96 degs.—estimated at 8,144,773 acres—the proviso in both cases being that friendly tribes should be located on the ceded lands. The government paid the four tribes from fifteen to thirty cents an acre for their cession, and agreed to pay the Cherokees a sum, to be agreed upon, for such land settled according to the proviso.

The government entered vigorously upon the task of locating other Indians, and during the administration of President Grant there was quite a popular enthusiasm for "civilization and the Quaker policy." The Cheyennes and Arapahoes were located, and then removed to a wilder region. The Osages and Kansas received 1,570,196 acres, the Nez Perces 90,711, the Poncas 101,894, the Otoe-Missouras 129,113 and the Pawnees 230,014 acres. At a later date the Sacs and Foxes, the Iowas, Kickapoos and "Absentee Shawnees" (those not absorbed by the Cherokees) received small tracts. It is needless to detail the conflict of laws and opinions. Suffice it that the friends of the Indians claim that every foot of the Indian territory is covered by an unextinguished Indian title, while the intending settlers insist that the Oklahoma strip and some more—nearly 10,000,000 acres in all—is open to settlement.

In this condition of affairs the "Kansas boys" began a dozen years ago to try the experiment of settling in the territory, not only in Oklahoma proper, but in the "Cherokee Outlet," as it is called—the strip stretching westward from the northern part of the occupied Cherokee lands. They were promptly ejected by the government, but the Cherokees granted herders permits to graze cattle on the strip, and this soon created a white man's interest adverse to that of the settlers. In a few years all Oklahoma proper, 1,887,800 acres, and most of the strip between it and Kansas were covered by the cattle of big syndicates.

Capt. D. L. Payn, born in 1836 in Grant county, Indiana, but a borderer since the opening of Kansas in 1854, had hunted and scouted all over the country, had represented two counties in the Kansas legislature and distinguished himself as an Indian fighter, when in 1879 he was appointed to a small office in Washington city. There he familiarized himself with the Indian treaties, and concluded, on good legal authority, that the last vestige of Indian title to Oklahoma proper was extinguished by a clause in the act providing for a right of way for the Atlantic and Pacific railroad. He at once began to organize a band to take possession, and made no less than eleven raids into the disputed country—run out sometimes by the Indians and sometimes by the cattle men, at other times compelled to leave for want of support, and finally evicted with all his large colony and imprisoned by the United States authorities. In 1880 he was arrested and imprisoned at Fort Worth, Arkansas. the court decided against him, but in 1882 he was again in Oklahoma, with a small colony only to be again driven out. In 1883 he was indicted for violating Indian treaties, but acquitted, and soon had a larger colony than ever. This time the "boomers" had possession long enough to build a village and set



MAP OF INDIAN TERRITORY

up a newspaper, The Oklahoma Chief, but Gen Hatch, with the Ninth United States cavalry, drove out the whole colony. Soon after Capt Payn died, but was immediately succeeded by Capt. W. L. Couch, a native of New York.

By March, 1885, he not only had 1,000 colonists ready, including 400 well armed men, but had interested several congressmen, proved his case against the cattle men and considerably embarrassed the secretary of the interior. The force concentrated at Arkansas City; but Gen Hatch took possession of the Cherokee strip with a strong force and United States District Attorney James R. Hallowell had Capt. Couch put under bonds. The colonists then memorialized the president and congress in regard to the cattle men in Oklahoma, and the result was that they too were compelled to leave. In the meantime the United States court for the judicial district of Arkansas, having jurisdiction over the Indian territory, had decided that the entire 8,000,000 of acres unoccupied belonged to the Cherokees; but the "boomers" went in with their expedition and were again expelled. They then appealed to congress, to whom President Cleveland had already referred the subject and the result is the "Springer bill."

This bill, introduced and supported by Hon. William Springer, chairman of the house committee on territories, provides that all Oklahoma proper, all the Cherokee strip north of it and all that part of the Indian territory north of the Panhandle of Texas, and known as No Man's Land, shall be organized into a territory of the United States, to be called Oklahoma, and that the few Indian tribes located in it shall have the same rights as Indians on reservations in other territories. The bill is warmly opposed by the Five Civilized Tribes and by all the so called "sentimentalists," friends of the Indians, and is favored of course by the members representing the adjacent states and territories.

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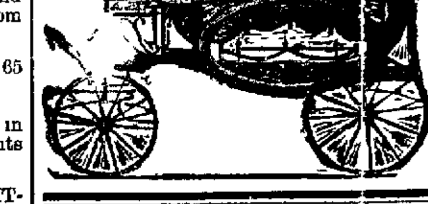
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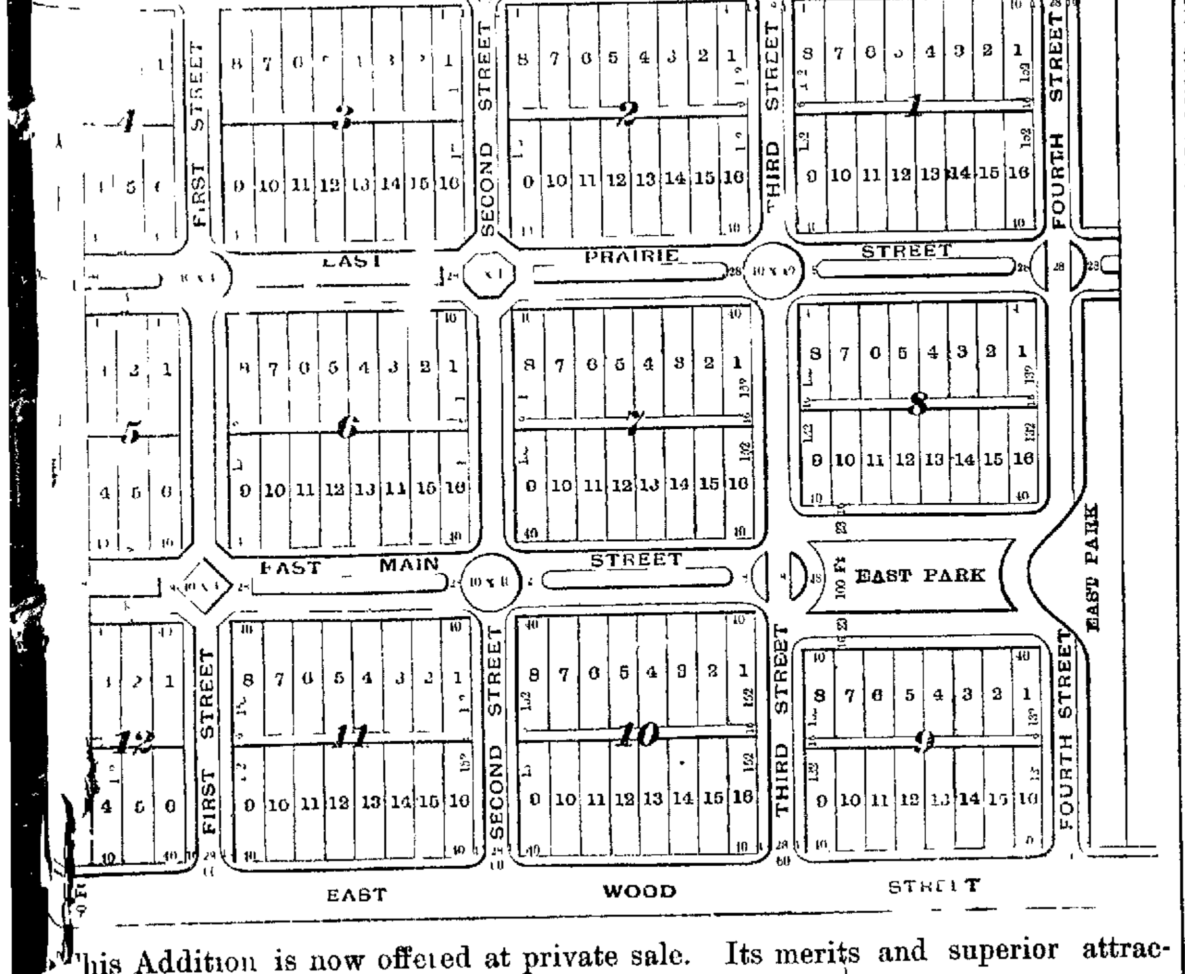
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The Duty that is Before Us.

Although the time for the assembling of the Chicago Convention is only a few days off no man can do better than to guess at the probable result of its deliberations. The drift towards Gresham still keeps up, and the quiet judge continues to grow in public favor, but whether he can keep on growing in strength is still a problem, and it is to be hoped that his supporters will not allow themselves to become so bound up in him as to feel a coolness towards the ticket provided some other eminent citizen should capture the nomination. It is undeniably true that the nomination of Gresham would be eminently satisfactory to the masses of Republicans all over the country, and yet it is a fact that his friends find themselves handicapped in several ways. He is not, apparently, the first choice of Indiana a state that the Republicans *must* carry in order to win. We believe that he could carry that state, and that in case he is nominated he will stand a better chance of carrying it than any other man that might be named, but the Indiana delegation goes to Chicago pledged to another man, and though that man does not appear to have any considerable strength outside of Indiana, still the harm that is liable to come to Gresham by reason of the attitude of the Indiana delegation will be readily appreciated by every man conversant with the ways of conventions, which is but another name for the ways of the world. Conventions are controlled, like all other human contrivances, by the average sense and judgment of the men who compose them by the same motives and impulses which govern and sway the individual and they are not always governed by the most enlightened and calm judgment any more than individuals are. Appeals to prejudice, to self-interest, to state pride, to temporary expediency, to the thousand other powerful though really inconsequential molaves which control human action, are often even more effective when applied to large bodies than when used upon the individuals severally. The time, the surroundings, the inspiration that is inseparable from large masses of people congregated under one roof, seem to lend weight to arguments that would be thrown away upon a small body or upon the individual privately, and often one is led to wonder, afterwards, how a large assemblage of intelligent people came to be so swayed by what is evidently the merest claptrap, when viewed under more sober and common-place circumstances. There are a good many reasons why Judge Gresham seems to combine within himself elements of strength that are not to be despised, and yet it is within the range of possibilities that all these elements may be ignored and overlooked amid the enthusiasm evoked on the floor of the convention by a single speech. We are not saying that they will be, but it is entirely possible that they may be, and these lines of caution are written with a view of preparing Republicans for events that the next few days may may develop. Whatever may be the outcome of the convention, Republicans should bear in mind that the individual is nothing, the cause everything. The party is confronting a situation that demands the greatest coolness and the most unswerving party loyalty. The occasion is unlike any that it ever faced before. It goes into a campaign against a foe flushed with victory, and there is no room for captious criticism. Whether the convention gives us our choice (and there is no question as to the name of the man who is the choice of Illinois) or selects any of the other eminent men whose names are so familiar to the country whether it names Gresham, or Sherman, or Alger, or Harrison, or Allison, or Hawley, or Rusk, or even if it goes outside the list and picks out some new man, the duty of Republicans is the same. It is to rally as one man to the standard of the party, and loyally support the ticket, no matter whose name heads it. And we believe that this will be the pleasure of every Republican.

MR. THURMAN, says the New York *Tribune*, is seemingly getting all the letters and telegrams of congratulation. That shows clearly enough the feeling of the Democrats at large for the two men on the ticket. So far we have only heard of one message being sent to the President; still, it is possible that excessive modesty has impelled him to keep to himself the dispatches certifying his good luck. There can be no doubt that it is the old Roman, and not the man in the White House, who, if anybody, will "enthuse" the Democratic masses. The candidate for Vice-President was in a decidedly frisky frame of mind yesterday, and told a group of newspaper men that he felt as strong as John L. Sullivan. But it was apparent that the feeling of age is in his frame, and that his vivacity was only the result of temporary excitement.

THERE will be a Gospel Temperance meeting in the rooms of the W. T. C. U., 255 North Main street, Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The meeting will be led by Mr. Kizer. All are cordially invited.

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OVER THE RIVER.

Emperor Frederick, After a Gallant Fight, Yields Up the Ghost.

The Dying Monarch's Mute Appeal For Justice to His Faithful Wife.

Victoria's Vigils at Her Husband's Side When All Others Slept.

The World Mourns the Demise of One of Its Greatest Rulers.

The Man Who Hates His Mother for Her Amiable Qualities, Proclaimed Emperor.

Pointed Insults Bestowed Upon the Doctor Who Prolonged His Father's Life.

Scenes and Incidents Attending the Closing Hours of a Well-Spent Life.

EMPEROR FREDERICK IS DEAD.

POTSDAM, June 15.—Emperor Frederick died at eleven o'clock this morning.

OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED.

BERLIN, June 15.—The *Reichsanzeiger* (official organ) publishes the following announcement of the death of Emperor Frederick:

The royal sufferer has ended his earthly career. By God's desire the Emperor-King, our most gracious master, passed to his eternal rest, shortly after eleven o'clock this morning, after long and grievous sufferings, which were borne with admirable fortitude and submission to God's will. The royal house and the German people have been truly bereaved within a short time. They deeply mourn the all too early decease of our much beloved Emperor

[Signed] MINISTRY OF STATE

WILLIAM PROCLAIMED EMPEROR.

BERLIN, June 15.—The Bundesrath assembled at noon to-day. Prince Bismarck, Chancellor of the Empire, formally announced the demise of Emperor Frederick III, and proclaimed the accession to the German throne of Emperor William III.

WAITING AN AUDIENCE WITH THEIR NEW MASTER.

POTSDAM, June 15, 1 P. M.—The ministers are now assembled at Friederichskron Castle waiting an audience with the new Emperor and Empress, who are at the castle

THE DEAD EMPEROR'S LAST HOURS.

LONDON, June 16—The story of the Emperor's last day of life is thus briefly told: When Prince Bismarck took what proved to be his final leave of his imperial master Thursday, the Emperor with a great effort placed the hands of the Empress in those of the Chancelor, his eyes the while unmistakably expressing an appeal to the man of blood and iron to protect and uphold the rights of the devoted wife and prospective widow. Prince Bismarck signified in words his interpretation of the Emperor's otherwise expressed desire. He bowed low to the Emperor, then to the Empress, and kissing the hand of the Kaiser, promised to faithfully obey his mute injunction.

At midnight the Emperor was assisted from his bed and placed in a chair. The change brought a slight relief to the patient, whose respiration was labored and pulse fluttering. The members of the the Emperor's family, with the exception of the Empress, then retired for a brief sleep, leaving the faithful wife performing all the husband's bedside the weary vigil prompted by love and duty

Meanwhile the doctors, with the exception of Dr. Hovall, who sat in a chair to the left of the bed, paced up and down the large front room communicating with the study in which the Emperor was lying. Dr. Hovall repeatedly examined the pulse of the sick man, and at one o'clock was asked by His Majesty through the medium of a note written on the leaf of a pad "How is my pulse; are you satisfied with it?"

From this hour there was a gradual decrease of the Emperor's strength until three o'clock, when a marked change for the worse set in. The patient's face blanched, and his eyes seemed to recede in their sockets until they appeared to be but half their normal size. The condition of the Emperor alarmed his watchers, and the members of the imperial family were summoned. Prince Henry was the first to appear, closely followed by the Crown Prince, soon to become Emperor. Both princes stationed themselves at the bedside, most of the other members of the family, who came soon after them, standing near the door.

The moribund Emperor rallied slightly after the arrival of his children, and maintained his improvement until five o'clock, when the final decline set in. From that hour to the end the sinking was gradual and steady. Last night's dispatches do not confirm the reported efforts of his Majesty to speak and write during his last hours of life. At eleven o'clock all of the dying man's family were present at the bedside. The Crown Prince stood near the head of the bed, his form erect and his gaze never once withdrawn from the face of his father. His countenance was sorrowful, yet stern, and his manner betokened full appreciation of the burden of responsibility which was rapidly being transferred to him to bear while he should live.

After the administration of the sacrament to the dying Emperor, Chaplains Persius and Koegel offered prayer. All present were intensely affected. When the final moment arrived, and Dr. Mackenzie announced the end, the Empress knelt and kissed the forehead of her dead husband. The other members of the family advanced to the bedside, kissed the Emperor's hand and slowly retired, each one expressing grief by unrestrained sobs. The Empress bore up bravely. She lingered for a while after the others had withdrawn. She shed tears less copiously than did her children, but convulsive sobs which shook her frame and awakened the compassion of all near, betokened an agony of pent-up suffering which none could share or relieve.

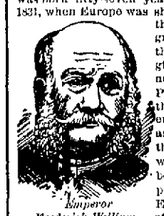
The body of the dead Emperor will lie for the present on the small iron bedstead upon which he died, clothed in a white night-dress and covered by white bed-covering. The troops guarding the body will remain under the command of Major Natzer, who was attached to the person of the dead Emperor.

After the death of the Emperor the new Kaiser, William II., *instantly* assumed personal control of matters within and without the castle. His first act was to order the Hussars and Uhlans attached to the castle to rigidly guard the house and grounds, allowing no one to enter or to leave without a special permit All applications for permission to leave the palace were refused, and passes, except those countersigned by the Emperor himself, in his own hand, were canceled. Passes issued at the instance of Dr. Mackenzie were rigidly and somewhat conspicuously repudiated, especially those which had been given to reporters. The strong cordon of troops surrounding the castle excited much curious comment and criticism both within and without the schloss. As an illustration of the transfer of power, and the new Emperor's determination to exercise his authority, Dr. Bergmann was telegraphed to yesterday afternoon to perform an autopsy on the body of the dead Emperor, and it is rumored that Dr. Mackenzie has made preparations to leave in consequence. It was the wish of Emperor Frederick that his funeral should be as simple and private as possible, only his immediate relatives being present. A mourning service will be held at six o'clock this afternoon over the bier in the schloss. The funeral proper will likely take place on Monday.

Three Generations of Rulers.

BIOGRAPHICAL.

Frederick III., known first as Prince Frederick William, and then as the Crown Prince, was born fifty-seven years ago, on October 18, 1831, when Europe was shaken by revolutions, the precursors of still greater changes, and the old forms were beginning to give place to new His father, then Prince William, was the second son of Frederick William III., who ascended the Prussian throne in 1797, the year when the child was born who came to be proclaimed German Emperor in the palace of the grand monarque.



Emperor Frederick William

His mother was Princess Augusta of Saxe-Weimar. It need hardly be said at this time of day that the Prussian Princes grow up clothed in uniform, and, like other Prussian subjects, are taught their military duties very early in life. The Crown Prince had excellent teachers—notably Ernst Curtius, and in 1850 he became a student at Bonn, and, later on, rector With a father so manly and serious, yet "jovial" as one courtier calls him, and a mother so accomplished, the Prince could not fail to be well taught and trained He was tall, healthy, blue eyed, frank and simple, and he won regard wherever he went when a youth In the English court his father was held in special esteem; and when, having become Prince of Prussia and heir-apparent, he was driven from Berlin in 1848 his son accompanied him to England Although politics forbade his reception, he saw Queen Victoria—who deeply sympathized with him—and Prince Albert; and it was then that Prince Frederick William, a lad of seventeen, first saw Princess Victoria, a lively and engaging child. It was the hope of several persons that those two in after years might be united, and the hope was fulfilled. Five years afterward, in the month of September, when Sebastopol had been captured, Prince Frederick William paid his famous visit to Balmoral, to ask for the hand of Princess Victoria, still a young maiden in all the "unconstraint of girlhood".

The engagement was announced September 25, 1855, and the marriage occurred in 1858

The bride and bridegroom were heartily welcomed in Berlin, and in August of the same year the Queen and Prince consort visited them in their new home A great change was impending over Prussia The then King was stricken with a painful malady, and after the royal travelers from England had returned to her shores Prince William was obliged to become Prince Regent He had acted in that capacity since the autumn of 1857, but in October, 1858, he was appointed Regent with full powers.

The Regent at once set about the reform of the army, which slowly but surely brought on a constitutional crisis.

Prince Frederick William, who had become Crown Prince, was imbued with English opinions, and he did not conceal his views In 1862, the strife had reached a critical stage, the policy of the government became harsh, and the Crown Prince was so moved that he addressed words of strong remonstrance to his father. "I beseech you, my dearest father," he wrote, not to invade the law in the way you hinted"—forcing on the country his own views of military reform, and issuing a decree muzzling the opposition press. The King vindicated his course, and advised his son to be cautious; but immediately after the Crown Prince formally declared the proceedings of the cabinet to be both illegal and injurious to the state and the dynasty " So far did the dispute go that the King hinted at the dismissal of his son from his command on account of a speech at Dantzic The Crown Prince did not then comprehend the scope of Bismarck's vast policy, or discern in him the qualities which made him the first statesman of Germany, but he acted with honesty and courage and deserved the respect he won from all.

In the Schleswig Holstein war the Prince saw service on the staff of Field Marshal von Wrangel. It was this war which brought the long contest between Austria and Prussia to a head, and discord in Denmark proved to be the prelude to unity in Germany The result of a series of moves and counter moves was that in 1866, the Austrian Emperor and the Prussian King found themselves at war; and Prussia, with only one ally, sent out her armies to fight against the whole resources of the confederation The Crown Prince was intrusted with the command of what was called the "Army of Silesia" which, besides cavalry, consisted of the guard and three corps. The chief of the staff with the Prince was General Blumenthal, a skilful and handy soldier The plan of campaign was that while two armies, which soon became one, broke into Bohemia from the northwest, heading for Iser, the Prince's force should emerge into the scenes of decisive action through the passes of the east wand—passes famous in the history of his great ancestor, "Friedrich II" But a line of mountains—separated the armies as the one set, and their operations had to be nicely combined if they were to form a junction They were combined by the aid of the electric telegraph; and, being well directed, and fighting stoutly, they did meet on the decisive field of Sadowa.

Then followed four years of peace The Crown Prince had the satisfaction of hearing his father ask the Parliament to pass a bill of indemnity to cover and legalize the irregular military expenditure of several years, and he probably had come to appreciate the European situation and its relation to Germany better than he did in 1863

The four years were anxious ones for Europe yet, although war had been expected every spring, nevertheless the events of July, 1870 took every one by surprise The Emperor Napoleon had won a diplomatic victory at Ems when the Hohenzollern candidature for the Spanish throne was withdrawn Not content, he allowed himself to be forced into war by the Empress and his intimate counselors; and the challenge, promptly taken up in Berlin, brought on the strife which broke to pieces, for a time, the military power of France.

It was in the campaign of 1870-1 that the Crown Prince once more came prominently before the public eye, and issued from the unparalleled struggle heir-apparent to the imperial crown he has just laid down.



Frederick, III.

Popular all over the Fatherland, he was most happily placed in the command of the South German troops, which, together with two Prussian corps and the proper cavalry divisions made up his army. The order of mobilization went out on the night of July 15, and on August 2 the German armies were over the Rhine. It was the duty of the Crown Prince to invade Alsace, and, by passing through the Vosges, turn the right of the French troops, who were between the Saar and Metz. Marshal MacMahon, with a force exceeding 40,000 men, stood in his path; but so swift and decided was the Crown Prince's advance that on August 4 he surprised and cut up a French division at Weissenburg on the Lauter, and on the 6th defeated and routed the Marshal on the field of Woerth.

From this on to the capture of Napoleon at Sedan was almost an unbroken series of victories.

When the Emperor surrendered in such dramatic fashion, the Crown Prince attended his father to Bellevue, where the King met Napoleon. He remained outside the room during the interview, but afterward saw the fallen sovereign; and none can doubt that his warm heart melted with pity for his fate, however well it may have been deserved. When the King visited his troops after the surrender, and rode all around Sedan, the Crown Prince accompanied him, and saw much to sadden as well as rejoice his heart in those days of excitement.

The march on Paris rapidly followed upon the tragedy at Sedan; and after the capital was invested the work of the Crown Prince was of the kind which does not show. He had his headquarters at Les Ombrages, the country seat of a rich Parisian. We get glimpses of him from time to time in his quarters and in action, but nothing of special importance.

During the years of peace which succeeded the war of 1870-1, the Crown Prince was engaged in the work allotted to capable men in his station; and he frequently represented the King in visits and ceremonials Before that period he was at the opening of the Suez canal and visited Palestine. After that he went to Vienna, in 1873, to be present at the opening of the exhibition; and subsequently traveled in Sweden, Norway and Denmark. He paid a visit to Victor Emanuel at Naples, in 1875, and attended the funeral of that King in Rome in 1878. He presided over the commission organized when the assassins, Nobiling and Hoedel endeavored to slay Emperor William, and, in 1881, it was his sad duty to witness the funeral of Alexander II. at St. Petersburg On many other occasions he took part in public business, and was always ready to foster education, literature and art More over, he wrote one or two books—one on his Eastern tour and another on the war of 1866.

The journey of the new Emperor, attended by his English physician, Sir Morrell Mackenzie, and accompanied by the Empress and his daughters, from San Remo to Berlin, occupied thirty-eight hours, from the starting on Saturday, March 10, soon after nine o'clock in the morning, to past eleven on the Sunday night. His Majesty was met at Genoa by the King of Italy, at Milan by the Duke of Aosta, at Munich by the Queen Dowager of Bavaria, and at Leipsic by Prince Bismarck and the other Prussian ministers. He rested well on the Sunday night at the palace of Charlottenburg, and attended to business on the Monday, receiving visits from his son, the Imperial Crown Prince William, from Prince Bismarck and Count Von Moltke.

THE NEW EMPEROR.

Emperor William III was born in January 1860, and is therefore twenty-nine years old. He was married February 27, 1881, to Augusta Victoria, daughter of the late Duke von Schleswig Holstein. Four children have been born to them, the eldest being William, born May 6, 1882. The Emperor succeeds to the throne at an earlier age than any of his ancestors His grandfather, William I, of Germany, was sixty-three years old when, on the death of his father, he was crowned King of Prussia. Emperor Frederick III was fifty seven at the time of his succession The present Emperor was his grandfather's favorite, and has always been more in harmony with the policy of Chancelor Bismarck than his father. He is at heart a soldier, and is so thoroughly German, that he is said to detest his own mother because she is English At the funeral of his grandfather he refused to walk with her. His hatred of the Russians is even more violent than his dislike for the English, and it is expected that he will not be without accompaniments of war He refuses to drink champagne because it is a French wine His intimates have been the Crown Prince of Austria, a very dissolute young man, and Count Herbert Bismarck He was carefully educated, receiving his early instructions under private tuition. He was well grounded in the classics, languages and mathematics, and was then sent to the gymnasium at Cassel, where he was prepared for the University at Bonn. He worked hard and was allowed but few privileges. He showed a special fondness for military history and things military it is said of him while at Bonn that he was more fond of the soldiers' black bread than of the white bread given him He was superior in most of his fellows in swimming and several other branches of athletics. He was much indulged by the students of the university, who consented to produce plays written by him. One of these plays, which was not thoroughly worthless, was "Charlemagne," being founded on historical incident. He was placed in the First Regiment of the Guard as a First Lieutenant after he had obtained his degree at Bonn in 1877.



Emperor William III.

He served faithfully and was, at the time he became Crown Prince, Colonel Commander of the Hussars of the Guard He has been as wild as any Hohenzollern, though not more vicious than his associates who did not have the temptation with which, because of his position, he was surrounded. His wife is thoroughly German, and has never done any thing to attract attention to herself exceptin appearing periodically at court ceremonials.

By authority of William II. he assumed temporarily the duties of his father, pending the completion of the journey from San Remo to Berlin. It has been said by correspondents at the German capital that his father and he were not as friendly as they might have been, that the late Emperor resented his son's treatment of the Empress Victoria, but none of these statements have come from reliable sources. In accordance with the custom of the Hohenzollerns, the Emperor learned the glover's trade. His father was a jeweler. His brother, Prince Henry, is a watchmaker. His sisters can cook, and are all adepts in dressmaking.



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THE President's evening recreation is among his flower beds at Oak View.

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That Matrimonial Case.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

James H. Huston being duly sworn on his oath states that he is 26 years of age; that on the 27th day of March, 1888, he was married by A. C. Stevens, J. P., of Decatur, Ill.; that he procured a marriage license on said 27th day of March, and went in company with the lady now his wife and John Caldwell to the office of A. C. Stevens, the aforesaid justice, with the intention of procuring him then and there to perform the marriage ceremony for him and his wife. D. C. Corley informed us that the Justice was out but would soon be back. We then went to the office of Ira B. Curtis, J. P., and we sat there a few moments when Justice Stevens came in and asked us if we had been to his office and I told him yes, we had been there. He asked if we were in a hurry and if we were he would go to his office now, but he would be through his business in a few minutes. I told him we were in a hurry, but that I was waiting for another man, when just at that time the man I was waiting for came in and we got up and went out. This was the only time I was in 'Squire Curtis' office that day. We all went direct to the office of Justice Stevens where the marriage ceremony was performed in the presence of Thomas Fields and John Caldwell.

Affiant further states that he had, prior to going to the office of Justice Stevens the first time, requested John Caldwell to make arrangement with said Justice for affiant to be in his office on the day aforesaid at the hour of five o'clock and thirty minutes p. m., and said Caldwell reported to affiant that he had so arranged with said Justice. JAMES H. HUSTON

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June, 1888. D. C. CORLEY, Notary Public.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

Rosie Huston being duly sworn states that she has read the foregoing affidavit of James H. Huston and declares the same to be true in every particular. ROSIE HUSTON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of June, A. D. 1888. FRANK R. SHULL, Notary Public.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—81 June; 82½ July; 82 Aug; 81⅞ Sep.

CORN—50¼ June; 50⅝ July; 51 Aug; 51⅜ Sep.

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PORK—$13.67 July; $13.77 Aug; $13.87 Sep.

LARD—$8.47 July; $8.55 Aug; $8.60 Sep.

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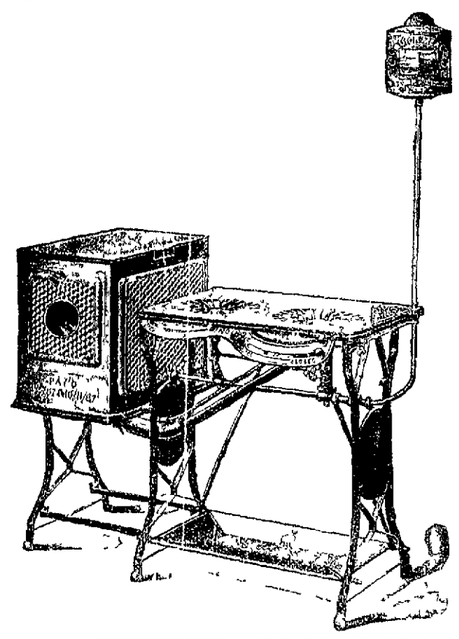
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SEE the *Decatur*

BOATING on the Sangamon to-morrow.

OVERSEER SHORD will have his office at his residence, on East William street.

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THE lawn mower you want is on sale at Lytle & Eckels' Water street hardware store

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FOR RENT—a very convenient house of six rooms, pleasant location Apply to W E. Hubbard. 9-d6

FOR the Fourth of July the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip to all stations on the line on July 3d and 4th, good to return on the 5th td

SEE the *Decatur*

USE the Shellabarger & Co White Loaf and Daily Bread flour

OF COURSE you will take in the Daniel's Band baptizing at Oakland Park Sunday afternoon. It will be conducted by Mrs Woodworth

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J H JOHNSON has the following notice posted in his barber shop at Illiopolis "The proprietor is a Democrat, but respectfully declines to argue politics during this campaign with his many Republican friends. Revision of the tariff explained on application at times when not conflicting with tonsorial business."

BUY your groceries at Niedermeyer's store on the mound Also fruits and vegetables

PATRONIZE the Moore Bros, in opera block for choice groceries and fruits.

SELECT choice table berries and California fruits at Knode & Osborne's grocery store

YESTERDAY W. T. Dillehunt was in bad luck A valuable mare, carelessly driven, was badly injured by a road scraper, the scraper cutting the leaders of her legs She may recover

YOU can save money by purchasing family groceries at Hanks & Patterson's store, 143 South Water street Give this firm a call.

IN daily demand—Hatfield & Co's White Foam flour Use it

THE Lincoln *Journal* of yesterday made the following mention of the lecture delivered by Dr Vosburgh before the Literary Societies of Lincoln University on Thursday evening "Dr Vosburgh, of Decatur, delivered the lecture before the societies in the college last night on the subject "Looking on the Bright Side" The lecture was eloquent and instructive. It partook largely of a humorous turn, being interspersed liberally with happy and amusing anecdotes The large audience are unanimous in pronouncing it a rare treat."

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services at 10 30 a m. and 7 30 p. m. by the pastor Subject of the morning sermon, "Sectarianism," of the evening discourse, "Spiritual Leaven." Sunday school at 2 p m Mission school, at 2 p. m., corner of N College and Packard streets Prayer meeting Thursday evening at same place All invited

U B CENTENARY CHAPEL

458 North Broadway St Regular services morning and evening at 10 30 a m. and 7 30 p m. Sunday school at 2 p m. Class meeting at 9 30 a m. J W. Boggess, pastor.

FIRST M E CHURCH

Class at 9 a m Preaching at 10 30 a. m and 7 30 p m by the pastor Morning subject, "The Divine and the Human the Process of Salvation." Evening subject, "The Value of the Cross as a Redemptional Force." Sunday school at 2 p m Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev Dr Vosburgh, pastor, preaches at 10 30 a m and 7 30 p. m. Morning subject, "How to have a Serene and Happy Old Age." Evening, "The Bright Side of Life." Baptism at the close of the service The public is cordially invited to attend Sunday school at 9 a. m., E. A. Gastman, supt.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Rev Sophie Gibb, pastor Services at 10 30 a m and 7 30 p. m Sunday school at 9 30 a m. Morning subject, "The Shadows of Life" Evening, "How do you Know," a consideration of Ingersoll's question to Gladstone. A cordial invitation extended to all

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Preaching by the pastor, Rev. T. W. Pinkerton, at 10 30 a m. and 7 30 p m., morning subject, "First Principles—Faith," evening, "The Church of Christ of the Nineteenth Century." Sunday school at 2 p. m. All are cordially invited

STAFF'S CHAPEL M E CHURCH.

Class at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7 30 p m by the pastor. Morning subject, "Exaltation of the Church." Evening, "Manliness." Sunday school 2 p. m Mission Sunday school, corner N Broadway and Herkimer sts, at 9 a m. All are welcome.

Y. M. C. A

Jail service at 9 o'clock a. m. Gospel service at 4 p. m. "What shall we gain by being a follower of Christ?" answered by W E. Mann. Come and see if the gain is worth the effort

CHARLES WIEFEL has sold out his saloon on Merchant street and bought the finely furnished saloon on Prairie street, second door east of the post office, where he would be pleased to see all his old friends and many new ones. 11-d1m

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ANY time not well served by my men telephone No. 100 and I will promptly correct all errors. D. A. MAFFIT. jy10

ELDER TYLER IS DEAD.

Particulars of the Shocking Accident Ending the Life of a Venerable Citizen.

The Honorable Career of the Elder—Former Mishaps—His Family

Last evening shortly after four o'clock, the shocking news reached the city by special messenger that Elder John W. Tyler had been fatally kicked on the head by a horse near his farm of 320 acres in Long Creek township, five miles east of Decatur. The brief information passed about the city rapidly but no details could be learned until late in the evening, when Rev. T. W. Pinkerton, J. A. Meriweather, T W Cann, Frank and R. E. Pratt returned from the farm Drs. E. W. and D. N. Moore were the physicians who visited the Elder at the earliest possible moment, and did what they could to give him relief. The Elder was unconscious, the injury being of such a dangerous character as to leave no hope of recovery.

The particulars can be briefly stated. Yesterday accompanied by his son, Barton S. Tyler, the Elder, who was in his usual happy spirits, got into a buggy and drove out to the farm near Antioch. The horse used was a Texan pony which was purchased on Thursday and freshly shod at the Bluegrass shop yesterday morning. The horse appeared to be gentle and safe, but Bart, deemed it best to go along with his father and drive the animal. Father and son had started to return to the city at three o'clock, the horse going along at a slow gait At the roadside a short distance from the house Frank Boyer was in the act of placing a rail on the fence, when the horse jumped sideways briskly, there being a slight incline in the road at this point. Bart was driving He tightened the reins to hold the horse in check, the check pulling the buggy against the horse The animal commenced kicking sharply and kept it up until he had partly torn himself loose from the rig. Bart was still in the buggy and it was at this juncture that Frank Boyer came over from the fence to take the horse by the bridle. At the same time Elder Tyler made an attempt to get out of the buggy He was sitting on the right side and had partly arisen to jump, with his left side turned toward the fractious horse, when the animal gave another and his last vicious kick, one of his feet striking the Elder on the left side of the head, near the temple, crushing his skull and hurling the venerable preacher back into the buggy into the arms of his son. The blood streamed from the ghastly cut and the Elder was unconscious, remaining in that state until he passed away at his home in this city at 3 15 this morning, attended by his wife, his family and friends.

The injury inflicted by the kick was a fracture near the left temple, three inches in length, the depression made by the calk of the horse's shoe being less than a half-inch.

The Elder was brought to Decatur in a vehicle last night, and taken to his home at about 12 o'clock

The deceased was one of the best known old residents of the county and was greatly admired for his genial disposition and hospitable and sympathetic nature. Everybody was glad to meet Uncle Johnny and chat with him He loved the truth, he loved his church and his family, and all his long life he has ever been found a true friend and a man of the strictest integrity The whole community mourns the death of the old gentleman, who though 80 years of age, bade fair to live to a hundred. His tragic death is a great shock to his wife and children whose sorrow is unspeakable

About 20 years ago Elder Tyler was severely injured in a railway accident at Lanesville, when he had three ribs broken, and not long ago while at his farm in the winter season a big gate swung against him, knocking him down on the ice and breaking a leg.

Elder John W Tyler was born near Loving ton, in Fayette county Kentucky, September 18, 1808 He grew to manhood there and soon after attaining his majority he was married to a Miss Oxley, by whom he had three children, Theodore and John W Tyler and Mrs Nancy J Housley Theodore is dead John W resides in Decatur, and Mrs Housley resides in Grove City, Ill Elder Tyler removed with his family to Indiana in 1829, and after a short residence there came to Illinois and settled in Sangamon county He removed to Macon county in 1835 and settled on a farm near Antioch and remained there until 1872, when he came to Decatur His first wife died after the removal of the family to Macon county, and on February 28, 1839, he was married to Miss Sarah Roney Their children are Rev B B Tyler, of New York City, Mrs Sue F Odor and B S Tyler, of Decatur, Rev J Z Tyler, of Cincinnati, Mrs J A Meriweather, of Decatur, Mrs S D Cook, of Denver, Colo, C H Tyler, of Chicago and Miss Alice Tyler, of Decatur Their third child, James A Tyler, is dead Elder Tyler early became a member of the church, and he began preaching when he was but 21 years of age For a few years he devoted his energies to building up the Baptist church, but withdrew from it to become a follower of Alexander Campbell He was the second pastor of the Christian church of Decatur, and did much to establish it and extend its field of usefulness Antioch Christian church was organized by him with a membership of 26 in October, 1859 and he and James C Rucker were its first elders He served the church as its pastor for several years, and he also ministered to the Oreana and Maroa congregations He united with the Christian church in 1830, and the active years of his life were devoted to church work

The funeral will probably not occur before Monday afternoon

County Affairs.

The June meeting of the board of supervisors came to an end last evening, when an adjournment was taken to Tuesday, July 9th.

The report of Geo P. Hardy, county clerk, for the half year ended May 31, was approved, the earnings for the half year amounted to $3,344.73, receipts, $2,294.10, expenditures, $2,229.50

The report of E. McClellan, circuit clerk, for the half year ending May 31, was also approved. The earnings were $2,249.05, expenditures, $2,06[illegible] balance in clerk's hands due county, $223.45.

Peverly, Johnson and Rogan were appointed a committee to look after the printing for the ensuing year.

V. Barber was employed as superintendent of the poor farm at a salary of $80 per year.

A lease to the room at 127 State street, formerly occupied by the circuit clerk, was ordered executed to Ferriss & Lapham.

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Judgment Affirmed.

The damage case of Larry Leonard against the Niantic Coal Co. has been finally settled by the Supreme court, in favor of the plaintiff, who in June, '86, was given a verdict in the Macon county circuit court against the company for $4,600. The company took the case to the appellate court where they were defeated, and now the original verdict is affirmed by the Supreme court. W. T. Cussins, of Decatur, and Judge Casey, of Springfield, were the attorneys for Leonard. The news of the affirmation was received by Mr. Cussins this morning, who is in great glee over the successful termination of the litigation. Mr. Leonard and four other men were in the cage at the Niantic mine on Sept. 11th, 1885, going down into the mine to work, an incompetent man had charge of the engine, and he lost control of the machinery. The cage with its human freight dropped to the bottom of the shaft and all four men were more or less injured, Leonard having his back broken. He is a cripple for life, and is now a resident of Bloomington

THERE will be no session of the circuit court next week. Judge Hughes will return Monday, June 25th, and hold court daily until all cases on the criminal docket are disposed of.

County Court Jurors.

Sheriff Mauzy is busy serving notices on the following named gentlemen to report on Tuesday, July 10 to serve as jurymen in the county court W J Dunbar, Wm. Black, Joseph Hill, J. M Randall, O E. Curtis, Ross Hockaday, E. O. McGee, Marcellus Alexander, J. C Mark, D M. McCusky, J N. Keefer, A. H. Harris, L Westermann, Peter Blair, Bartley Walters, L. R. Provost, John Basler, Henry Odel, John P. Dilling, P. L. Vancleve, Wm. Filley, John H. Sleeter, George Shoemaker, J. T. Winslow, G. W. Hinds, Geo E Wentz, B. S. Woodruff, John E King, George Farren and William Coulter

A DAMAGING fire occurred at "The Roby" this forenoon. The fire caught accidentally in S H. Clark's room, doing damage to his expensive furniture estimated at $250. Mrs Guyton's loss, which is comparatively small, is covered by insurance. The firemen did effective work

CAPT H H ROSENGRANTS, ex-supervisor for Blue Mound township, who was seriously injured in a runaway accident going to the Pickrell stock sale, is confined to his bed. He had three ribs and his knee-cap broken, and was believed to be in a dangerous condition for awhile He is doing reasonably well In the same accident a son of Joseph Bachman had one of the bones of his leg fractured.

PERSONAL MENTION.

DR. J N Bills has returned from the south. He goes to Chicago Wednesday.

MR and Mrs. D Bradley arrived home last night from their bridal tour.

Tom McReynolds arrived home last evening from Cornell University to remain during the summer Tom looks strong and healthy

DR. T S Hoskins, the dentist, departed to-day for Chicago, accompanied by his family. The Doctor will be absent until next Thursday.

Mrs. Remine, of Charleston, the official court reporter for Douglas, Edgar and Coles counties, a few days ago became the wife of Charles Wolverton, a prominent attorney of Tuscola.

Mrs. John H. Crocker, of Maroa, was at Granville, Ohio, this week, to be present at the graduation of her daughter, Louise, at the young ladies' seminary at that place

Charles Leforgee, who has graduated from the Union College of Law, Chicago, is here on a visit He contemplates beginning his professional career in Chicago

Among the Decatur people who will go to Chicago within the next few days are Hon Jason Rogers, Hugh Cron, C M Imboden, W. H Brumble, J A Barnes, M F. Kanan, D W Heilman, L L Allen, W. H. Starr, I R Mills, H F May, Rev. James Miller, B K Hamsher, and many others whose names are not now known.

A Boy Thief With a Record.

Last night Officers Helmick, Lilly and Imboden, arrested August Witt, a smooth young German lad of 17, whose father is a miner for the Coa Co. and resides north of the shaft August has made quite a record as a thief and jail breaker since last fall when he went to Lourai, in Sangamon county, and began to work for John Koons, a farmer He obtained the full confidence of the farmer, one night he left, taking one of Koon's horses and a fine accordeon The horse was abandoned by the boy near Decatur, and afterwards recovered by Koons but he sold the accordeon Young Witt was caught by the Decatur officers and jailed for the Koons robbery. Koons came here to take Witt in custody, but the next morning it was found that the boy in some mysterious manner had escaped from the depot jail In February last Marshal Mason got two letters from Hillsboro, Ill., making inquiries about Witt who was wanted there for thievery and in April news came from Springfield that Witt had stolen a watch and chain from a capital city lawyer, R W Haines. Witt could not be located, although his home in Decatur was closely watched by the police. Yesterday two Portuguese residents of Jacksonville came to Decatur inquiring for Witt, reporting that he had stolen a pony from them and that they wanted to put him through for the crime. Through the advice of Marshal Mason, the two men made close inquiry about the pony on their return home and it was found that Witt had sold the pony for $22 50 at Illiopolis As stated at the outset Witt was captured at his home last night. He will be sent to Springfield to be prosecuted for stealing the Koons horse and accordeon and for robbing Haines of the watch and chain, which the thief had sold to the Jacksonville people. Young Witt has done right well for a boy but his career is ended now as he is under lock and key with a mass of evidence against him.

This forenoon Marshal Mason put Witt through the sweating process and finally got him to confess that he and another man had stolen two horses from a farmer in Hillsboro, but both were captured, the man going to Chester penitentiary for three years, and Witt to the county jail for five months. Witt had special liberties at the jail and escaped after serving three months of the time.

Only One More.

The T. H. & P. R. R., will sell tickets to Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Iowa, Minnesota, and Dakota on June 19th. One fair for round trip, good for 30 days. Call on T. Pennell, city T. H. & P. agent, at American Express office.

BOYD IS HAPPY.

He Cheerfully Takes His Sentence of Five Years for Killing Williams.

Yesterday was a trying time for George E. Boyd, the young man from Maroa, whose father is dead and whose care-worn mother stood by him with all her great maternal devotion through the hearing of the damaging evidence against her son, for the killing of Aurelius Williams near the Union Iron Works in this city on the afternoon of Nov. 17, '87. The testimony as to Boyd's guilt was conclusive and the prosecution was properly severe, State's Attorney Mills making the most of the points in the trial. It was plain that the frightened prisoner was greatly affected by the opening and closing arguments of Mr Mills. He remembered the fate of Westbrook, who has been his companion in jail since his imprisonment, and he was fearful of the worst. He could not hide his feelings He hung his head, and no doubt in imagination could see the hangman placing the noose around his neck, with his sobbing mother and weeping half-sisters in their home of gloom and sorrow. He felt hopeful while his counsel, Mr Lee, was pleading for his life and appealing for mercy as best he could with the case he had, amplifying on the point that the stabbing was mainly accidental and that there was no particle of malice in the heart of the defendant when he struck the fatal blow. While Judge Hughes was reading his instructions to the jury, the mother of Boyd stood weeping in the hall and at the conclusion came up to her son whose head was bowed and placed her arm around his neck, holding a handkerchief to her streaming eyes with the disengaged hand. The scene for a few moments was quite dramatic and must have affected the jury as it did the spectators. Complete silence prevailed as the jury filed out to make up its verdict, and when Boyd was taken to the jail he broke down completely, his condition being such as to require the immediate attention of a physician.

THE VERDICT

The jury did not agree upon a verdict until about four o'clock, and still fearing the worst Boyd was so weak that he had to be partly supported by the officers as he was ushered into the court room. His nerves seemed to be unstrung by the mental strain he had undergone since the trial began. He took his seat bearing every evidence of utter dejection The jury filed in silently, standing in a row outside the east railing The verdict was handed to Judge Hughes, who spread out the paper and read amid profound silence.

"We, the jury, find the defendant guilty of manslaughter, and fix his punishment at five years in the penitentiary"

There was a sudden change apparent in Boyd, who looked up with great relief in his face. He seemed to be a new man, and when the court directed him to stand up and asked him if he was satisfied he promptly answered in the affirmative, whereupon he was sentenced under the verdict to the Joliet penitentiary for five years. By good behavior he will get out of prison in less than four years After the sentence Boyd met some of the jurymen and shook hands with them. It can be truthfully stated that Boyd left the court room a happy man Attorney Lee is also satisfied with the verdict. He was not present when the jury came in and when asked if he would enter a motion for a new trial he replied, "Not much, my boy, the result suits me. The sentence is lighter than I expected."

The verdict was also a great relief to Boyd's mother whose anxiety during the day was at a high tension

DOCKET'S DOCKET

People vs George Dennis, burglary and petit larceny Trial by jury pending

People vs Benjamin White, alias Ben Hicks defendant pleaded guilty to grand larceny and was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years

People vs George I Bivins grand larceny Trial by jury Defendant given two years in the penitentiary

CHANCERY DOCKET

Andrew Dennis vs Jane White et al, foreclosure $50 guardian's fee allowed I A Buckingham, and $16 allowed C A Ewing as guardian's fee.

L M Gill vs John N Gill et al chancery Decree pro confesso and referred to master

Trustees of schools 15, 1, vs A I Risley Report of master approved decree

L Burrows, trustee, et al vs J B and Harriett N Troxell, foreclosure Report of master approved decree

Geo W Patterson vs Zidonia and C C Atchison foreclosure Dismissed by complainant

COMMON LAW DOCKET

M V Donegan vs C Booker et al assumpsit default Judgment for $97 55

William Seltzer vs C W Freeland and John W Jones Assumpsit Default as to Jones, and judgment for $137 50.

D B Fiske & Co vs Mary L McDonald, confession for $1,203 32

Linn & Scruggs vs same confession for $372 00

ON Sunday evening Rev. Mrs Gibb at the Universalist church will briefly review the Gladstone and Ingersoll controversy. The lady endorses neither of them, but will present a practical view of the subject which will be interesting and instructive to those who favor themselves by giving her a hearing

James M. Warner Coming.

The following allusion to the new trainmaster for the Terre Haute & Peoria road, is taken from the Port Jervis, N. Y., *Daily Gazette*

Mr James M Warner, late Assistant Superintendent of the Delaware division, and a railroad man and citizen universally respected and esteemed by the citizens of Port Jervis, and also by the residents along the Delaware division, has been tendered and accepted the position of trainmaster on the Terre Haute & Peoria Railway, running from Peoria, Illinois, to Terre Haute, Ind., a distance of 250 miles This is the road which Mr D H Conklin, formerly of Port Jervis, is vice president, and Mr Warner will therefore have a friend at court It is needless to state that Mr Warner's departure is deeply regretted by a host of friends He is one of the brightest and most thoroughly posted railroad men in the state, being capable of filling almost any position, and at the same time he is a good citizen, and has a large heart inside his frame, and a big brain encased in his cranium We wish him complete success in his new field of labor He will certainly carry with him the best wishes of the people of Orange, Sullivan, Pike and Delaware counties

Mr. Warner was given a diamond pin by his old associates.

Percheron Horses

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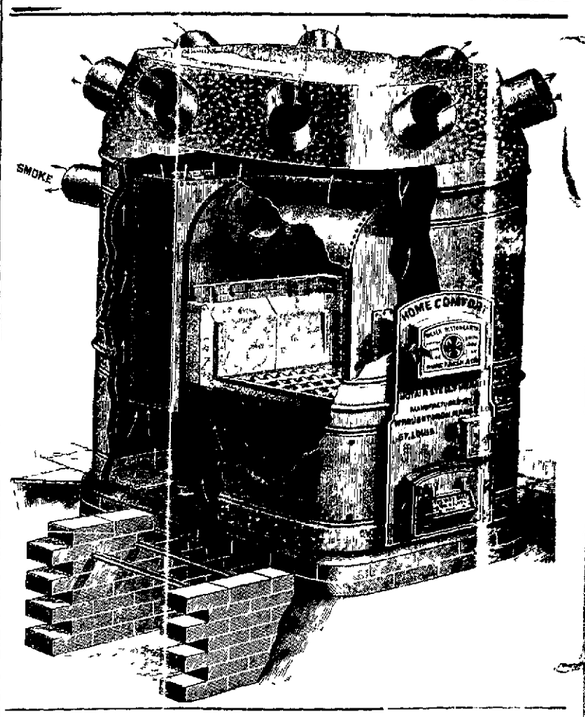
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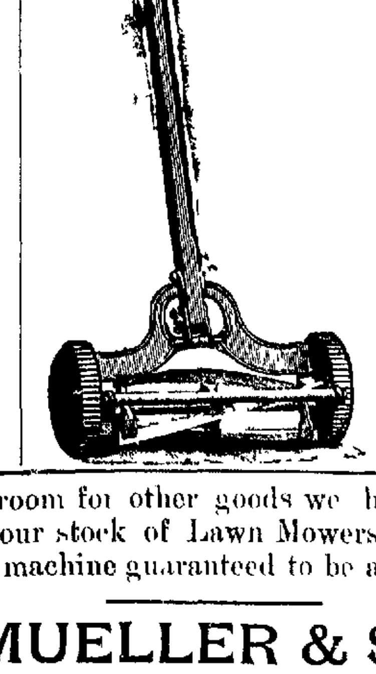
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One would have to travel a long distance before finding a larger or more select stock of vehicles than that now at the Spencer, Lehman & Co's store rooms There are handsome and serviceable buggies, road carts, phætons and spring wagons in various styles and makes, and no one could fail to be suited either in style or price mar28-d&wtf

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate to PAY DEBTS.

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree of the county court of Macon county, state of Illinois rendered at the May term, A D 1888 in the case of George W Bright, Administrator of the estate of Fulkrono deceased vs [illegible] on application to sell real estate to pay debts the undersigned will sell at public vendue on TUESDAY the 10th day of July A D 1888 between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the west entrance to the circuit court room in Decatur Macon county, state of Illinois the following real estate, to-wit Lot number seven (7), in block number six (6) in Durfee & King's Addition to the City of Decatur Macon County Illinois That said sale will be made on the following terms, to-wit One third of the purchase money to be paid in cash the balance in two equal instalments, due respectively in six and twelve months from the day of sale secured by personal security and a mortgage on the premises sold with the privilege to the purchaser of paying all cash Deferred payments to draw interest at the rate of Six per cent per annum Said sale to be free from dower and without redemption The street number of said real estate and dwelling house thereon is ... North Main street. Abstract of title can be seen at the office of Bunn & Park

GEORGE W BRIGHT,
Administrator of the Estate of Fulkrono deceased
BUNN & PARK Attorneys June 7 d4w

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution on transcript from J P docket, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county Illinois in favor of William W Falconer and against George W Patterson I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit Lot Number Five (5) in Block Number Three (3) in H Robinson's addition to the city of Decatur, Macon county Illinois taken as the property of the said George W Patterson, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur in Macon county in said state, on the 28th day of June, A D 1888 at the hour of two o'clock p m of said day for cash in hand to satisfy said execution

This 6th day June A D 1888
J H MAUZY,
j6 dtd Sheriff Macon County, Illinois

Administratrix' Notice.

Estate of Frederick Meyer Deceased

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Frederick Meyer, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur at the August term, on the first Monday in August next at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned

Dated this 29th day of May 1888
MRS MINNIE MEYER,
may29-d3w Administratrix

John A. Brown.
ATTORNEY AT LAW
And Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill
Office over Linn & Scruggs dry goods store entrance from court house stairway

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ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
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A STUDY OF MOTHERS.

Some Feminine Peculiarities Discovered by an Observing Lady.

When I was a girl mothers were an object of veneration to me, and now, as one of the vast army of them, I like to continue the study of their peculiarities of character Veneration still stands first on the list of my sentiments for them, but alas! how many another feeling is aroused during the study—amazement, pity, anger, and sometimes disgust.

I remember sitting one day in my nursery by the crib where my boy lay napping, when an intimate friend appeared at the door, and entering sunk into a chair

"What is the matter, Mrs R——?" I inquired

"Why, Pet is dead "

"Your pretty horse?"

"Yes, beautiful animal It is always so with me "

"How do you mean?"

"Why, of course it is my handsomest horse It was the same with my children I lost the beautiful one—the others all lived "

I looked up in astonishment, and then and there true veneration in the case resigned its place to amazement, and yet that woman was the mother of several well-looking, finely formed healthy children—the ones that would not die

Again, one lovely summer day, on the way to my room at the hotel where I was boarding, I passed the bathroom, the door of which was wide open; there in the direct draught, 'twixt door and window, stood Bridget, a really good-natured, though "green," Irish girl, holding a baby under the warm-water faucet

"O, Bridget, you will hurt the baby!" I exclaimed

"Nivir a hurt. Shure I soaps her first and then rinses her off" (keeping up a swinging motion with the baby all the time that made me dizzy)

"Doesn't she ever cry?"

"Niver a whimper, the darlint"

And no wonder Her eyes were closed, and she looked drawn and white about the mouth, while the rest of her body was more than rosy from the water, that came, of course, warmer and warmer

Veneration again took her leave, and pity reigned instead, for when I told the baby's young mother she was aghast and only too glad to have Bridget taught better ways What I wonder is how she could, as the children say, "trust to luck" as to how her baby should be bathed and lose the pleasure of giving it a bath herself

Veneration has fled repeatedly from the presence of disgust when I have heard the all-to common sentence, "I trust my nurse implicity"—*Babyhood*

BIRD DESTRUCTION

What It Costs the Country to Gratify the Demands of Vain Women

In spite of the earnest protests of the humane, of the remonstrances of economists, and the laws of many States, the cruel slaughter of our feathered songsters still continues The mortality among birds by ordinary accidents, depredations and slaughter nearly counterbalances their increase, and such special havoc as has of late years been committed among them, upsets the balance of nature and leads to the speedy extinction of whole species Within the last half-dozen years so disastrous has been the slaughter of many whose bright plumage and gladsome songs beautified and thrilled country places, that ornithologists estimate that even if the slaughter were at once to cease several generations must pass before the evil effects of the recent reckless destruction would be affaced. Entomologists estimate that the annual loss in food and fiber plants caused by insects amounts to fully $300,000,000 in this country alone At a very low estimate 5 000 000 birds are annually slaughtered for feminine adornment, and it is calculated that the death of every insect-eating bird causes an actual and consequential loss equivalent to four bushels of grain What an enormous tax the country is paying to gratify the cruel demand of a fashion set by a notorious Parisian profligate, and maintained by thoughtless vanity!

While the reckless vanity of women is the chief cause of this baneful butchery, man's gluttony and greed are powerfully aiding woman's vanity Every year the rapacious pot-hunter, and the inconsiderate school-boy are abroad heedlessly decimating the most destructive foes of the fast multiplying myriads of insect pests that cause agriculture annual losses high among the millions Several of the States have lately passed salutary laws for the protection of insectivorous birds, but scarcely any of them have provided suitable means for their enforcement. Recent events have shown that the wishes of the farmers of the country, emphatically expressed, have powerful influence with our legislators, and on what subject should their wishes be expressed more emphatically than on the necessity for prompt and effective legislation for the protection of the friends whose graceful, melodious presence beautifies the country, gladdens their homes and greatly aids to save their crops from destruction?—*Rural New Yorker*

—Rose-growers who have heretofore killed all the lady bugs that appeared on their bushes will be glad to know that these insects are death to rosebush lice and chinch bugs Mr. Hatch, of Suisum, Cal., offered an ounce of gold for an ounce of lady bugs not long ago and got them.

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Administratrix' Notice.

Estate of John A. Brown, Deceased

The undersigned, having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of John A. Brown, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on Monday, August 6th next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned

Dated this 14th day of June 1888
MARY BROWN, Administratrix
JOHN A BROWN Atty june14 d3w

Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }
Estate of Phillip Bauer Deceased

To Katrina Bauer, Susanna Bauer, Margaret Bauer, Peter Bauer and Adam Bauer, Heirs of said Estate

You are hereby notified that on Monday the second day of July 1888 the Administrator of said estate will present to the County Court of Macon county, at Decatur, Illinois his final report of his acts and doings as such Administrator, and ask the court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate and his administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose so to do (Signed) JACOB KESSLER
June 12 d2w Administrator

Notice.

To Whom It May Concern

Take notice that the undersigned will on the 24th day of June 1888, present to the Governor of Illinois a petition for the pardon of her husband John Thomas, who was convicted of the crime of an assault with intent to murder in January, 1886, in the circuit court of Macon county

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LOST—An order book of nursery stock with prominent names on stubs of same Return to this office I HUSTON 1 d

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COWS—I have five or six good young cows all fresh, for sale Will sell them either with or without their calves LILLY DOWNING 12 d6

LOST—One black mare with brand on right shoulder Reward for return to 1101 East Eldorado street june7 dt

WANTED By a young man 21 years of age a situation to drive a delivery wagon or any permanent situation Is well acquainted in city and can give best of reference Address Lock box 50 6 dt

WANTED—Three honest pushing men in your vicinity special inducements now fast selling specialties Any determined man can succeed with us Don't delay Salary from start BROWN BROTHERS, Nurserymen Chicago, Ill may ud&wlm*

FOR SALE—Bee hives sections crates comb foundation and smokers Also celery plants from June 15th to August 1st Bees wax bought I A GASTMAN Decatur
Telephone 236 may16 d&wlw

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WANTED—Everybody to know that I am pressing, coloring, bleaching all kinds of ladies and children's straw hats and satisfaction guaranteed, at No 512 North Short St june4 d3w*

WANTED Everybody to know that Elder's order slate for carriage to any part of city and depot is at Schneider's Drug store ... N Water St three doors north of the opera house Prompt attention to all orders Telephone 18 june d2w

WANTED—A blacksmith of 25 years experience wants a job of work in Decatur or country there have always worked on country work and job work of all kinds Address G H GERRARD Lancesville, Ill may30 1tw*

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REMOVAL NOTICE—M C Tilly formerly under Decatur National bank, has removed to 310 North Water street opposite First M E church, 2nd floor where he is prepared to do all kinds of jobbing work, and makes a specialty of edge tool dressing, gunsmithing, locks and keys, gasoline stoves &c, &c M C TILLY
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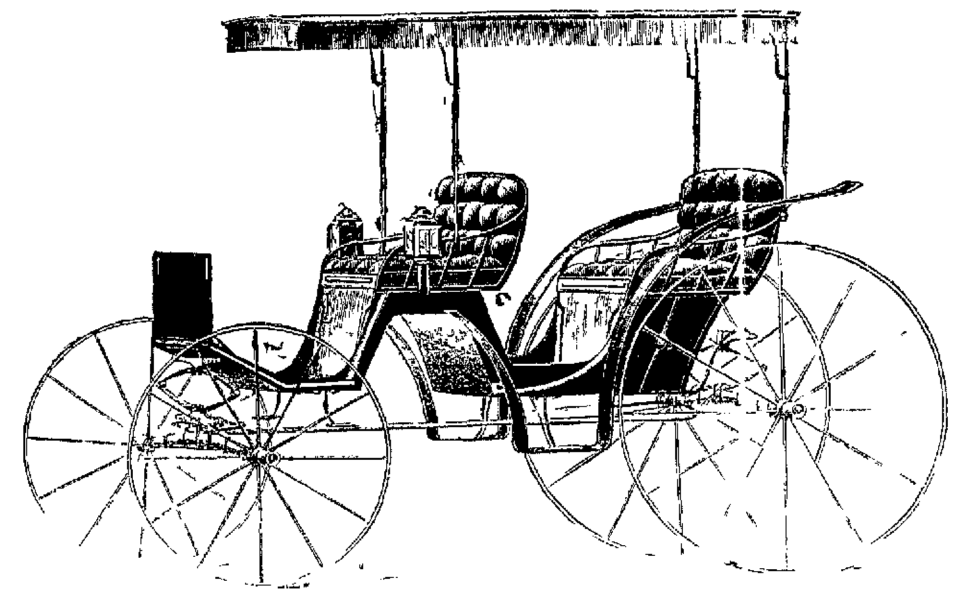
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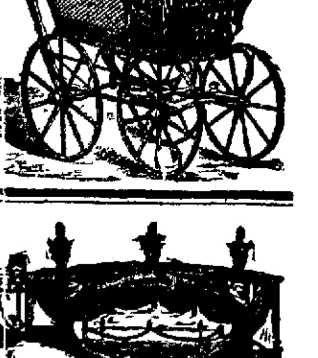
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